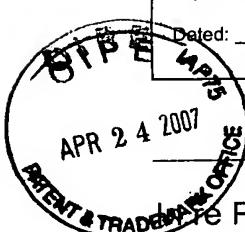


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Docket No.: 65399(49227)  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Patent Application of:  
Yoshitaka Nishijima et al.

Application No.: 10/577,744

Confirmation No.: @@@

Filed: April 26, 2006

Art Unit: N/A

For: COMPOSITION FOR REMOVING  
PHOTORESIST AND METHOD FOR  
REMOVING PHOTORESIST

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed March 6, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notification.

Applicants respectfully submit that all valid requirements have now been met and respectfully request that the instant application be accepted for examination on the merits.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 04-1105 in the amount of \$600.00 covering the additional claims fee. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 65399(49227). A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## For FY 2007

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$ 600.00)

### Complete if Known

Application Number	10/577,744
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First Named Inventor	Yoshitaka Nishijima
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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

##### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity
Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
-	=	x	=

Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

#### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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#### 4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, fee (no small entity discount)

600.00

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge):

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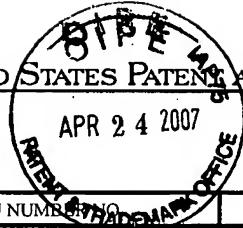
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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/26/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 04/26/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/26/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/26/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/26/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/26/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 04/26/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$600 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$600 for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 600

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- \$600 for 12 total claims over 20.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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